GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
SHIPPING, ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS
LOK SABHA

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CONVERSION OF BRIDGE UNDER NHDP TO FOUR LANE
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Will the Minister of SHIPPING, ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government has received any representation for conversion of the two-lane bridge under the National Highways Development Programme (NHDP) to a four-lane bridge at Saraighat along NH-31;

(b) if so, the details thereof; and

(c) the action taken by the Government in this regard?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF SHIPPING, ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS(SHRI K.H. MUNIYAPPA)

(a) Yes, Sir.

(b)&(c): National Highways Authority of India, under East West Corridor programme of NHDP, has planned construction of an additional three lane road bridge at 40 Meter downstream of the existing rail-cum-road bridge at Saraighat, Guwahati, on NH-31. The detailed project report alongwith prequalification of civil contractors has been completed and bids are likely to be invited shortly.